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AMENDMENT**Box Non-Fee Amendment**

The Assistant Commissioner For Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

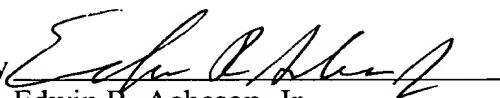
Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing in the above-referenced case, is a *revised* VERIFIED STATEMENT (DECLARATION) CLAIMING SMALL ENTITY STATUS (37 CFR 1.9(f) and 1.27(c)) – SMALL BUSINESS CONCERN.

The *original* Small Entity Statement filed May 21, 1999, claimed *Individual* status. A *copy* of the Original Small Entity Statement is enclosed for your reference.

Respectfully submitted,

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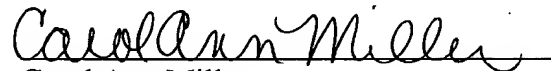
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